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Cream and Eggs

For which I will pay Highest Market Price. I Guarantee a Square Deal between the Farmer and Creamery I Test Every Day in the Week Except Sunday

YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED

J. H. Robinett, Mansfield, Mo.

LONDON LACONICS.

(Special Correspondence.)

On account of the rain Sunday several from this community were very much disappointed about going to Mt. Zion to attend Children's day.

Miss Ama Dedman, who has been visiting relatives and friends here the past two weeks, returned to her home at Mansfield Saturday.

Tom Strong was water bound Saturday night and could not get home, he failed to see his beloved Sunday.

Raymond Newton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Hobert Latimer.

Edward Hickman of Rembert called at John Rippee's Sunday afternoon.

Fred Buros and wife of near Duncan spent Saturday and Sunday with Jap Cantrell and family.

J. D. Newton, wife and daughter, Jewell, were dinner guests at Elbert Latimer's Sunday.

Jesse Matlock and family spent Monday at John Matlock's.

Laura, Bertha and Opal Newton visited with Henry Newton and family Saturday and Sunday.

Hosea and Sarah Rippee called on F. A. Rippee and family Sunday. Austin Dedman of Mansfield was buying hogs and sheep in this neighborhood last week.

We heard the wedding bells at Odin Sunday night. Rev. J. A. Russell united in wedlock Selph Jones and Pansy Newton at M. E. church Sunday evening at eight o'clock.

N. N. Whelchel, wife and little daughter, Ruth, of Hartville were visiting at John Rippee's last Tuesday and Wednesday.

The embroidery club met in regular session last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Julian Newton's. Punch and delicate refreshments were served to all who were present.

Fred Dennis of Route 1 is a new reader.

B. F. Veit of Route 2 is a new subscriber.

R. P. Williams is a new Mirror subscriber.

Byron Shanes of Route 1 is a new Mirror subscriber.

R. D. Berry of Route 3 has our thanks for a year's renewal.

John P. Anderson of Route 1 has our thanks for \$1 for a year's renewal.

R. W. Inman of Mountain Grove, coroner of Wright county, is a new Mirror reader.

Harry Kupka hands us \$1.15 for a year's renewal and the Kansas City Weekly Star. Thanks.

The Embroidery Club gave Miss Zena Reynolds a kitchen shower at the G. S. Burney home Friday evening.

Perry T. Allen of Springfield, a member of the law firm of Allen & Craig, with offices in Mansfield and Springfield, lost his books and paper in a million dollar fire which destroyed the northeast corner of the public square at Springfield Monday morning.

A HIGH-SPEED ROMANCE STANTON WINS

By ELEANOR M. INGRAM

An automobile story filled with all sorts of fun, danger, disaster, despair, triumph, love, hate and perplexing incidents. A light running narrative that spins like a high-priced motor car—and grips like a reliable clutch.

OUR NEW SERIAL STORY

Don't Miss It

Just to show what scientific farming will accomplish in the matter of wheat raising in the Ozarks. C. V. Ashworth showed us some samples of some extra fine wheat Wednesday. The wheat shows from four grains to the mesh and 11 meshes to the row—promising an unusually good crop. He has 2½ acres of this kind of wheat, besides other wheat.

We find it necessary to go to press Thursday noon and request correspondents, advertisers and others to have copy in by Tuesday, if not, then as early as possible. We will continue to receive copy up till Thursday noon, but cannot guarantee insertion.

E. W. Yocum, secretary of the Wright County Mutual Insurance Co. of Mountain Grove and W. R. Shirley of Kansas were here Tuesday. Mr. Shirley is thinking of locating in Wright county and we hope he will decide to do so.

W. P. Lindsey of Springfield, agency manager for the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, of New York, was here last week on business with the company's local agent, J. E. Craig.

Grow something good for the stock show this fall. Save a sheaf of oats, wheat, rye, clover, timothy or other crops now and take good care of it until the show.

J. F. Brazeal of near Macomb was here Tuesday and had bills printed for a public sale June 24. He expects to locate in Bakersfield, Calif.

FOR SAFETY OF AEROPLANES

Combination of Different Ideas, It Is Believed, Will Keep Flying Machines From Turning Turtle.

Much has been said in reference to the advisability of combining the gyroscope and the aeroplane as a means of preventing the latter from turning turtle under certain wind conditions, but the practical combination of the two has been made only recently and the machine put to a test. The whole apparatus adds a weight of but thirty pounds to the aeroplane, which includes two wheels to control both the longitudinal and transverse stability of the flying machine and the motor by which these are driven, but this impediment may be also made use of for sending wireless messages. The preliminary tests made were of the most satisfactory character, although made under the most adverse conditions. The automatic control is said to have held the machine at an even keel at all times, and when the wind falls below thirty-six miles an hour it is designed to cause the machine automatically to volplane to the ground.

ACCORDING TO PUBLIC REPORT

Capitalist Not Far Wrong When He Said Fishing Was Good in J. Pierpont Morgan's Pond.

The Pujo committee has answered a question that financial people in this city have asked innumerable times. We now know exactly the amount of deposits carried by Philadelphia's largest private banking firm. It is a tidy sum—\$49,000,000—which Mr. Stotesbury has under his immediate eye. When Oscar Hammerstein, in an appreciative way, referred to Mr. Stotesbury as a "financial sponge," he doubtless took note of the goodly size of the aforesaid absorbent.

It reminds me of Arthur E. Newbold's first meeting with J. P. Morgan when he became a partner in the firm. Said the great Pierpont upon Mr. Newbold's presentation: "Well, I hear you are going to fish in our pond."

"Yes," replied the Philadelphia banker, "and I understand the fishing is very good."—Philadelphia Ledger.

TURN JAIL TO ROACH PLANT.

How the prisoners at the county jail "slipped one over" on the new non-partisan sheriff of Milwaukee is the tale which is being whispered in official circles, for the prisoners, by breeding cockroaches, have succeeded in framing up a scheme to earn pocket money while in jail.

A month ago, when the new sheriff relieved the Socialist, he ordered the jail cleaned of cockroaches, announcing that he proposed to offer a bounty for every cockroach found after the housecleaning.

Certain prisoners saved some heads of families from the slaughter and are now busy collecting one cent for each dozen carcasses, while the jail is as well filled as ever.

EFFICIENCY OF THE WOMAN.

No matter how useful a labor-saving device may be, if a woman doesn't know how to work so that she can get the most out of that tool, the value of the device is lessened. Too many women put too much emphasis on the tool and too little emphasis on themselves. If the woman is inefficient how can she use a tool except in an inefficient way? I believe that woman's liberation from drudgery in housework lies not so much in tools and devices as in her own improved advancement in methods of work.—Ladies' Home Journal.

BALKED AT WATER.

Redd—Is that a Kentucky-bred horse of yours?
Greene—I guess so. Didn't you notice how he refused to ford that stream?

CONDITION.

"My dear Miss Wisely, will you share my lot in life?"
"That depends. Is it on a suburban car line?"

ITS DRAWBACK.

"I have a very sunny lot in life."
"Then why are you complaining?"
"Because every prospective purchaser wants a shady lot."

HE MUST HAVE ONE.

"I wonder what is the best way to attain to a ripe old age?"
"Be somebody's rich uncle."

FIRST FOUND COAL IN 1679

Father Hennepin, French Jesuit Missionary, Said to Have Located a Mine in Illinois.

The first mention of the occurrence of coal in the United States, according to government experts, is made in the journal of Father Hennepin, a French Jesuit missionary, who in 1679 recorded the site of a "cole mine" on Illinois river, near the present city of Ottawa, Ill. The first actual mining of coal was in the Richmond basin, Va., about seventy years after Father Hennepin's discovery in Illinois, but the first records of production from the Virginia mines were for the year 1822, when, according to one authority, 54,000 tons were mined. Ohio probably ranks second in priority of production, as coal was discovered there in 1755, but the records of production date back to 1838.

The mining of anthracite in Pennsylvania began about 1790, and it is said that in 1807 fifty-five tons were shipped to Columbia, Pa. Reports of the anthracite coal trade are usually begun with the year 1820, when 365 long tons were shipped to Philadelphia from the Lehigh region. Prior to this, however, in 1814, a shipment of twenty-two tons was made from Carbondale, also to Philadelphia, and the production is considered to have begun in that year. It is likely that the actual production prior to 1820 was between 2,500 and 3,000 tons. The production for 1911 was 496,231,163 short tons.

MILITARY



"Vat makes der corn stalk so?"
"Dot is because its family is all composed of kernels."

MIND AND BODY.

"When we think it is not alone the mind that thinks; it is the whole man, and the process begins with the body. The bodily fiber or quality reaches to the thought. You will never get fine thought out of a coarse body. Nor less will you get sound thought out of an unsound body. The bodily condition strikes through and shows itself in the quality of thought. A vast amount of the poor, illogical, insipid, morbid, extravagant, pessimistic thought that finds its way into books and sermons and conversation has its origin in poor bodies and bad health. The body lies at the basis of success in all respects."—Rev. Dr. Munger of Yale University.

RETAILER.

"Ahem!" the seedy individual edged over toward the prosperous looking man in the smoking car. "Gotten match?"
"Sure."
"Thanks." Lights his pipe. "Traveling man, I s'pose?"
"Yes, I'm in the lumber business."
"That so? I used to be in the lumber business myself."
"Ah! What line?"
"I peddled toothpicks."

HIS SYSTEM.

"I wonder how Atlas could hold up the world on his shoulders?"
"I suppose, being an Atlas, he had his way of doing it all mapped out."

DEFERENCE SHOWN.

Mrs. Knicker—Do you treat your cook as one of the family?
Mrs. Bocker—Yes; like our daughter just graduated.

ITS LOCATION.

"We have a grand spinal staircase in our new house."
"Have you? I suppose it is somewhere in the back?"

COMBINATION.

"That dealer in pigs has business and affliction combined, hasn't he?"
"How so?"
"He has a sty in his eye."

OFFICIAL STATEMENT

of the Financial Condition of the

Bank of Mansfield

at Mansfield, State of Missouri, at the close of business on the 4th day of June, 1913, published in the Mansfield Mirror, a newspaper printed and published at Mansfield, State of Missouri, on the 12th day of June, 1913.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts undoubtedly good on personal or collateral.....	\$107,915.89
Loans, real estate.....	32,389.89
Overdrafts.....	1,000.04
Real estate (banking house).....	3,000.00
Other real estate.....	2,079.63
Furniture and fixtures.....	858.19
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check.....	3,155.09
Cash items.....	121.52
Currency.....	954.00
Specie.....	784.06
Total.....	\$152,858.91

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 40,000.00
Surplus fund.....	3,910.40
Undivided profits, net.....	92.01
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check.....	500.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	55,707.56
Time certificates of deposit.....	50,925.62
Cashier's checks.....	1,723.32
Total.....	\$152,858.91

State of Missouri, County of Wright, ss: We, G. W. Freeman as president, and G. C. Freeman as assistant cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

G. W. Freeman, President.
G. C. Freeman, Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of June, A. D. nineteen hundred and thirteen.

Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. (Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring April 5th, 1915.)

N. N. Nichols,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: G. W. Freeman
Geo. B. Freeman
M. A. Freeman
Directors.

ON ROUTE NO. 2

(Special Correspondence.)

The rains have certainly saved the crops. It puts the farmers, who have been working so hard, into good spirits again.

G. W. Brewer and wife visited at James Brewer's Saturday night and Sunday. Monday they went to Chenney to see his sister, Mrs. John Walker, who is dangerously ill. Mrs. W. F. Stone, who is also a sister of Mrs. Walker, went down Monday to spend a few days with her.

Wm. Ungles and family have been busy for some time picking and canning cherries. They got 35 gallons from one tree.

Wm. Hale is hauling ties.

Drue Turner, wife and son left early Tuesday morning to spend a few days with her parents.

Mesdames George Brentlinger and M. Barlow called on Mrs. John Brentlinger Tuesday afternoon and helped stone cherries—for entertainment.

Clarence Brewer is on the sick list.

Mrs. F. H. Riley spent Wednesday at J. A. Riley's.

Mrs. Marshall and son, Cecil, called at Paul Williams' Wednesday afternoon.

Mack Pool and wife helped Mrs. G. W. Brentlinger wash carpets and clean house Monday. Mrs. Pool helped clean house at J. A. Riley's Tuesday.

J. W. Brentlinger's visited at Charles Brentlinger's Sunday. In the afternoon Charles, jr., Nora and Alva Brentlinger came over and all had a pleasant time, in spite of the cold, rainy day.

Mrs. Drue Turner and son called on Mrs. George Brentlinger Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Amos Roy spent Wednesday with her mother at Thomas Dean's.

J. A. Riley and George Brewer are cutting wheat.

SUKEY.

MARKET REPORT

Eggs, per dozen.....	13c
Butter, per lb.....	16c
Butter Fat, per lb.....	24 1-2c
Old Hens, per lb.....	10c
Springs 1-4 to 2 lb.....	18c
Fat Turkeys, owing to quality, lb.....	10c
Ducks, per lb.....	9c
Geese, per lb.....	4c
Green Hides, per lb.....	10c

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RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral.....	\$ 66,648.68
Loans, real estate.....	9,457.98
Overdrafts.....	363.69
Real estate (banking house).....	4,750.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	800.00
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check.....	11,000.25
Cash items.....	610.25
Currency.....	2,292.00
Specie.....	1,291.03
Total.....	\$ 97,273.89

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 20,000.00
Surplus fund.....	3,000.00
Undivided profits, net.....	280.16
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check.....	3,885.42
Individual deposits subject to check.....	44,196.32
Time certificates of deposit.....	23,995.16
Cashier's checks.....	1,906.82
Total.....	\$ 97,273.89

State of Missouri, County of Wright, ss: We, J. D. Reynolds as president, and N. J. Craig as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. D. Reynolds, President.
N. J. Craig, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of June, A. D. nineteen hundred and thirteen.

Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. (Commissioned and qualified for a term expiring April 5th, 1915.)

N. N. Nichols,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: J. D. Reynolds
J. D. Reynolds
P. W. Newton
Directors.

PROGRAM

For Saturday's band concert
The Joy Riders' March, K. L. King

Overture, Sincerity, George Barnard

Triumph March, K. L. King

My Lady Waltz, K. L. King

Bohemian Girl, Dalley

Dance of the Imps, K. L. King

Love's Way Waltz, King

Garden of Eden, G. D. Barnard

La Paloma, Yradier, by request

The Rifle Rangers March, K. L. King

For extras hand your selection to the leader at the beginning of the concert. Everybody invited to be in the park. Plenty of seats

IS YOUR NAME HERE?

If Not, Why Not? Can't We Place It There In June?

Several who are on the list have not stated whether they wanted to remain there or not. During June we intend to make a thorough revision of our list. We make the following special offer for June: Hand us \$1.25 and we will send The Mirror till 1914 to three subscribers. You will thus make five people happy for only \$1.25 the three subscribers, yourself and the editor. Try it once, anyway. We are at a heavy expense each week in printing The Mirror and we need every cent that is due on subscription. If you can possibly pay us during June, please do so. If you can not, please let us know. If we do not hear from you during June, and your subscription is not marked paid up, your name will be taken from the list. We do not desire to lose any subscribers, neither do we desire to send The Mirror where it is not wanted.

Roll of Honor.

The following, who had not previously paid us on subscription, have during June:
W. B. Fullington
M. T. Fullington, Springfield
O. E. Murray, Herington, Kas
L. A. Shafer, McFarland, Kas
W. R. Deaver
R. L. Handy
J. A. Young, Monroe, Ky
John P. Anderson
Mrs. John A. Rippee
Mrs. Emma Henson, Tarkio
R. D. Berry
Harry Kupka
B. F. Veit